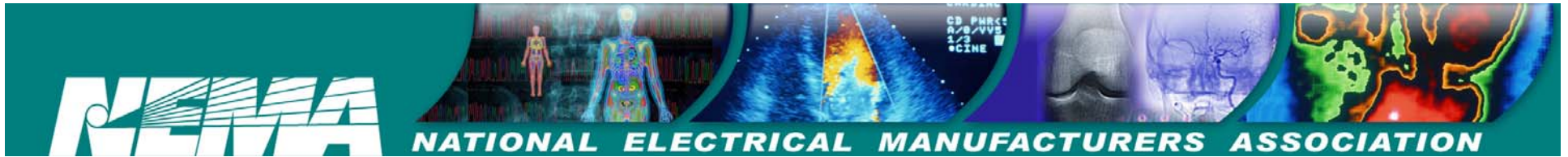


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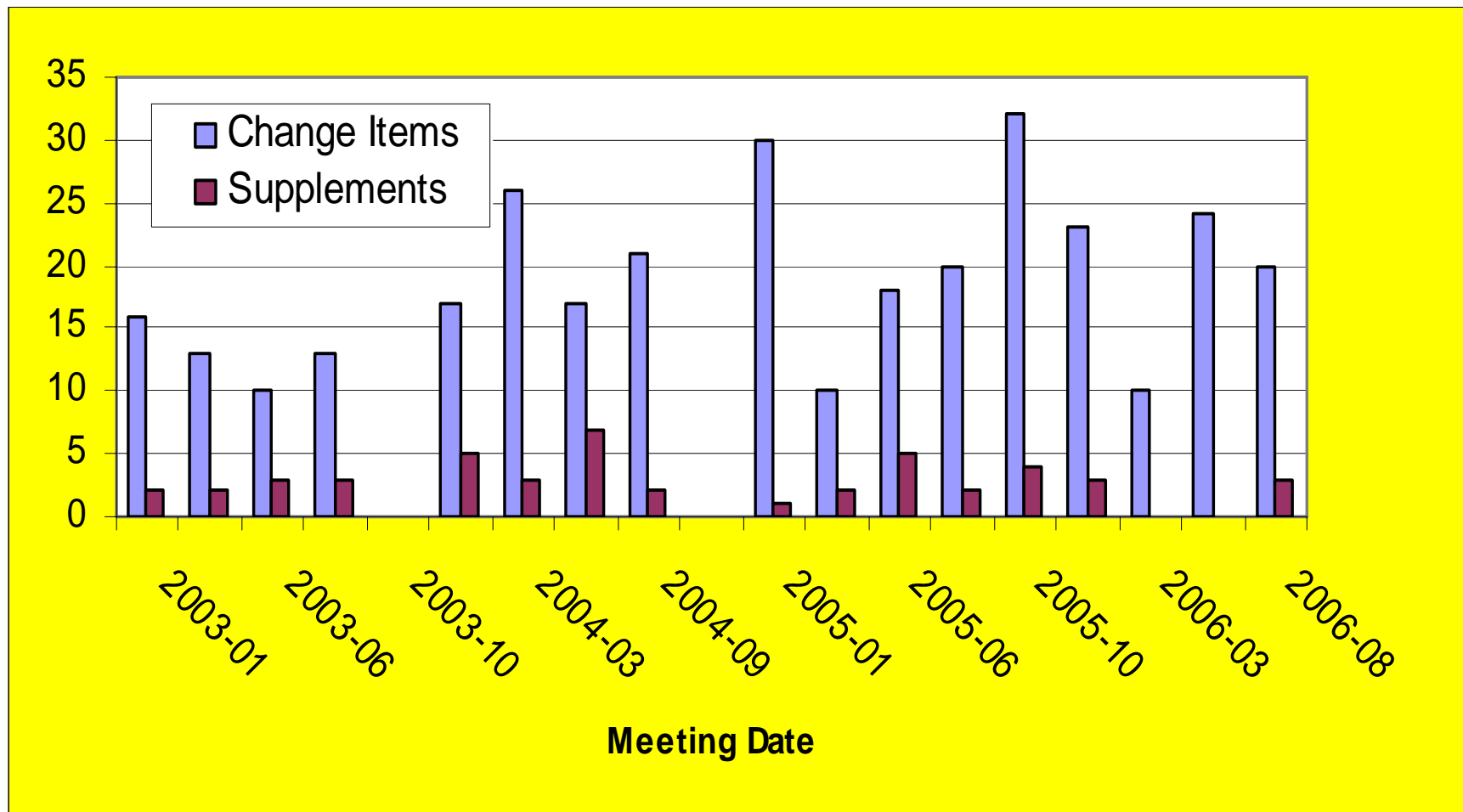
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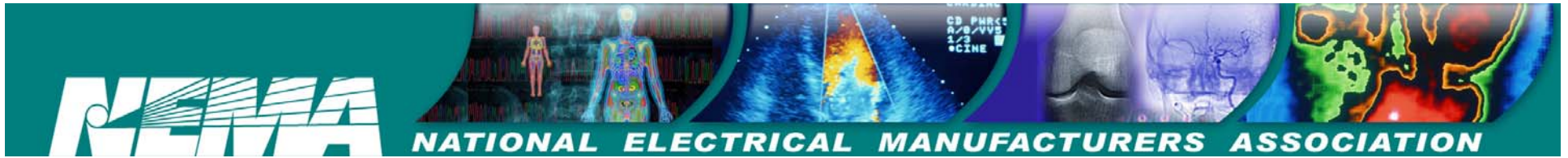


## Background

- NEMA History of Bringing Manufacturers together
  - Imaging equipment
  - Manufacturers of phantoms
- NEMA promotes the value of medical imaging externally
- NEMA is a standards development organization
- DICOM

## Vitality of the DICOM Standard





## Future Activity for NEMA

- Workgroup for Phantom manufacturers
- NEMA participation in the Biomarker Consortium
- Work with PhRMA - set up a focused committee of imaging vendors for this purpose